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In the application of
 DONALD R. RUSSELL and
 JOSEPH J. KALWARA
 Serial No. 09/505,052
 Filed February 16, 2000
 For: SELF-ADHERING WALKWAY
 PADS FOR ROOFING
 MEMBRANES AND METHOD
 FOR THE APPLICATION
 THEREOF TO ROOFS

Group Art Unit 3635

Y. Horton, Examiner

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 19, 2002, the Applicants, through their attorney, respond as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.



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Enclosed are the following documents:

Response and Amendment
Installation Instructions for Firestone Rubberguard Walkway Pads
Return Receipt Postcard

AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees
associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account
No. 06-0925.

Respectfully submitted,

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